

OCTOBER 2021 PROGRAMS

All programs are free and open to the public. An adult must accompany children. Reasonable accommodations available upon request. Parking fee applies. In case of inclement weather, confirm by calling (508) 238-6566. Please follow all current COVID guidelines. Visit [Mass.gov/COVID](https://www.mass.gov/covid).

- Thursdays**
October 7, 14, 21, 28
OFF THE BEATEN PATH HIKES, 1:00 pm—3:00pm
Meet at the Visitor Center
Join the Park Interpreter for a guided hike and explore the trails at Borderland. Hikes are between 2-4 miles long on varied terrain at a moderate pace. Route varies each week. Bring drinking water and snack. For adults.
- Sundays**
October 3 & 17
STONEWALL SECRETS, 3:00 pm—4:00 pm
Meet at the Visitor Center
Have you ever wondered why there are stone walls that criss-cross the forests of New England? Join the park interpreter for a 1.5 mile hike on varied terrain to see some old stone walls. For children and curious adults of all ages.
- Sunday,**
October 10
PONDING, 2:00 pm—3:00 pm, Meet at the Lodge
Using nets and buckets, we will catch and release some of the critters who live in Leach Pond. We will then determine the water quality in Leach Pond using a tally of the types of animals we find. Wear shoes and clothes that can get wet. For children and curious adults of all ages.
- Wednesday,**
October 20
FULL MOON HIKE, 6:30 pm—8:00 pm
Meet at the Visitor Center
Join us for a full moon hike along the Pond Walk Trail. We will split into smaller groups for this 3-mile, moderate paced guided hike. Dress for the weather and bring a flashlight. Park will be open for this program only. For all ages.
- Daily**
AMES FAMILY PHOTO EXHIBIT, 8:00am—6:00pm
In the Visitor Center
Stop by the visitor center at Borderland State Park to learn about the Ames family and the construction of the Borderland estate through a series of photographs. Self-guided. All ages.
- Daily**
SELF-GUIDED BROCHURES, 8:00am—6:00pm
At the Visitor Center
Want to learn more about the architecture or the historic Ames Mansion and the grounds? Stop by the visitor center and get a self guided brochure, located in the entry way of the visitor center. For all ages.